## **REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

Applicants respectfully traverse the restriction requirement for the following reasons. The invention of Group I and Group II as claimed are closely related and require in each Group the particular alignment of the solder resist to the moving direction of the squeegee applying the solder resist. As such, no undue burden would be placed on the Examiner for conducting a search for any or all of the claims.

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the restriction requirement.

Respectfully submitted,

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